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Book of Records of the Arazonia Silver Mining District

September the 24th 1860

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Sept 29: 1860

Mining District of Arazonia and Records of this District of Nesbit County Carson Co
Mountain Montgomery County Utah
Oregon California Carson Valley Territory

California Yuleh Sept 29th 1860
Met pursuant to notice the citizens
of the said Yuleh on motion of
A. D. Frasier Uriah Thomas was
appointed Chairman who stated
the objects of the meeting on motion
John Fosher was Elected Secretary
On motion of Uriah Thomas the
name of the Armenia Silver mining
District which was carried in the
affirmative On motion of Mr
Frasier The Chair appointed
the following as a Committee
to Draft a Code of laws for the
government of said District
Comitte John Fosher A. D. Frasier
and Wm. P. Boren which motion
was reconsidered On motion of
Mr Frasier there be a Committee
of five be appointed by those having
the right to appoint one and no
more Mr W.M. Brown moved
to amend that the Chair
appoint which was carried in the affirmative the Chair
appointed John Fosher

A. A. Frasier Wm P Boren
Wm Brown and Jas Newbern
said Committee on motion of
Mr Frasier the Committee was
was required to report to-morrow
morning at 9 O'clock which was
Carried in the affirmative
On motion of Wm Brown the
Meeting adjourned till to-morrow
morning 9 O'clock

Attest Fisher

Secretary

Saturday Morning 11 o'clock
September the 29th 1860

Met pursuant to adjournment and Organized with Uriah Thomas in the Chair. The Report of the Committe on laws and regulations was called for whereupon John Foster made the following

Report

Laws and Regulations of the Arizona Silver Mining District

Article 1st Title

This District shall be known as the Arizona Silver Mining District in Utah Territory

Article 2d Boundries

The Boundaries shall be as follows Three miles South East and three miles North West of the Discovery on the Thomas Lode and three miles East and three miles West of the same

Article 3rd Size of Claims

The Claims shall be in Size as follows One hundred feet in length on Each Lode within said District

Article 4th Right of Claim

Any Person or Persons Discovering Lodes within this District shall be Entitled to one Discovery Claim on such Lode and one Claim by preemption But no person shall be Entitled to more than one Preemption Claim on any One Lode within said District and One or more by purchase.

Article 5th Time of Holding

Each Claim shall hold good until the proper machinery can be procured for the working of the same

Article 6th Officers

There shall be Elected one president one recorder one Oak Diver who shall hold there Offices for one year or until there succ-

are Elected and qualified

Article 7th Duties of Officers

The president or his deputy shall preside at all regular or Called meetings of the Dis he shall sign all Calls for meetings when made by five or more miners of this District

The recorder shall keep accurate minutes of all meetings right all notices and Cause them to be put up in Some Conspicuous places within this District record all claims and Transfers of Deeds in a proper manner. He shall receive the sum of one Dollar for recording Claims and the sum of one dollar for recording deeds and attend to such other Matters as the Duties of the Office may require

The Steak Surveyor shall accurately measure and Steak all Claims within this District

He shall receive the Sum of fifty cents for Each Claim he shall Establish. The Claim shall hold good for the amount of Stealing, he shall be requir to faithfully, perform the Duties of his Office

Article 6 Trials

When Disputes arise it may be referred to a Jury of Six or twelve men Chosen from among the miners and the matter referred to them for there decision in Case any one of the parties be dissatisfied with the decision of the Jury they may refer the matter to the miners whose Decision shall be final

Article 7th Calling meetings

Five or more miners may at any time petition for a meeting of the miners of the District Stating the Objects of the meeting in said petition the Recorder

Shall give at least two Days notice thereof by posting or causing to be posted Notice of the same within the District one of which Shall be at the Recorders Office

Article 10

The miners may at any meeting called for that purpose Elect one Justice of the peace one Shiriffe and such other Officers as in there Judgement they Deem Right and proper and pass such Laws as are necessary for the regulation of the Same

John Hosher
A. J. Fraser
Wm B Boren
Wm Brown
James Newland

Which Motion was unanimously adopted. on motion the Election of a Stock Driver was Dispenced with for the present season On motion the President and recorder were Elected by Ballot Uriah Thomas having a majority of all votes Cast was Declared Duly Elected for the Ensuing year John Foster having Received a majority of the votes Cast was Declared Duly Elected Recorder for the ensuing year On motion Adjourned Sine Die

Uriah Thomas
President

John Foster
Recorder